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Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.51, 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, a copy of the art identified on attached form PTO-1449 is enclosed herewith as a citation in connection with the captioned application. The applicants hereby request the Examiner to review and make an independent evaluation of the art. A copy of each reference is provided.

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Applicants believe that their SYSTEM FOR MONITORING HEALTH,
WELLNESS AND FITNESS as described and claimed in the present application is neither
taught nor suggested by this prior art. Accordingly, applicants' invention is believed to be
patentable over these prior art references.

Respectfully submitted,

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